

vote is taken as a result of a petition under Article XVI of the Constitution or as required by the act itself.

(c) In addition thereto, the Secretary of State, within ten days from the receipt of the official returns from any such referendum vote concerning a law enacted by the General Assembly, shall prepare under his hand and seal, two certificates setting forth the particular law upon which such referendum vote was taken, and the result of said vote; one of said certificates he shall forthwith deliver to the Clerk of the Court of Appeals who shall, upon receipt of the same, attach it to the original copy of said law and file in his office; the remaining certificate shall be retained by the Secretary of State until the adjournment of the next succeeding session of the General Assembly, whether regular or extraordinary, and shall thereupon be delivered by him to the person selected by the Governor to compile and index the laws passed at such session of the General Assembly.

OFFENSES AND PENALTIES

24-1. False registration.

Every person convicted of any offense under the provisions of this section shall be punished by imprisonment in jail or in the penitentiary for not less than six months nor more than five years. The following offenses shall be applicable to any actions or conduct of any board acting under the provisions of this article:

(a) Falsely to impersonate a voter or other person, and register or attempt or offer to register in the name of such voter or other person;

(b) To register or attempt to make application to register in or under the name of any other person, or in or under any false, assumed or fictitious name, or in or under any name not his own;

(c) To register to vote in two election districts or precincts;

(d) Having registered in one election district or precinct, to attempt or offer to register in any other election district or precinct, not having a legal right to register therein;

(e) Knowingly or wilfully to do any unlawful act to secure registration for himself or any other person;

(f) Knowingly, wilfully or fraudulently, by false impersonation or otherwise, or by any unlawful means to cause or procure or attempt to cause or procure, the name of any qualified voter in any election district or precinct to be erased or stricken, as in this article provided, from any registry of the voters of such district or precinct made in pursuance of this article or otherwise;

(g) By force, threat, menace, intimidation, bribery, reward or offer or promise thereof, or other unlawful means to prevent, hinder or delay any person having a lawful right to register or be registered from duly exercising such right;

(h) Knowingly, wilfully or fraudulently to compel or induce or attempt or offer to compel or induce, by such means or by any unlawful means, any officer of registration in any election district or precinct to register, or attempt to register any person not lawfully entitled to registration in such district or precinct;